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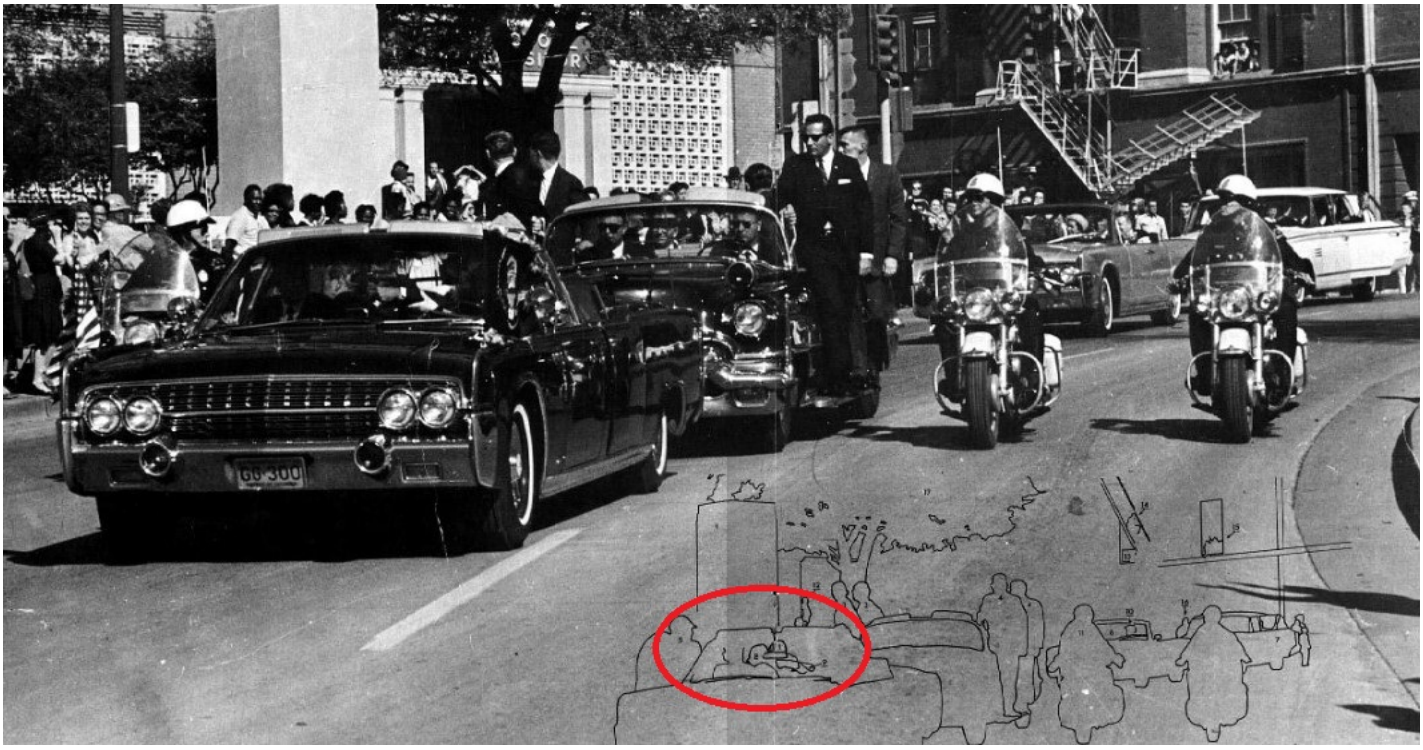
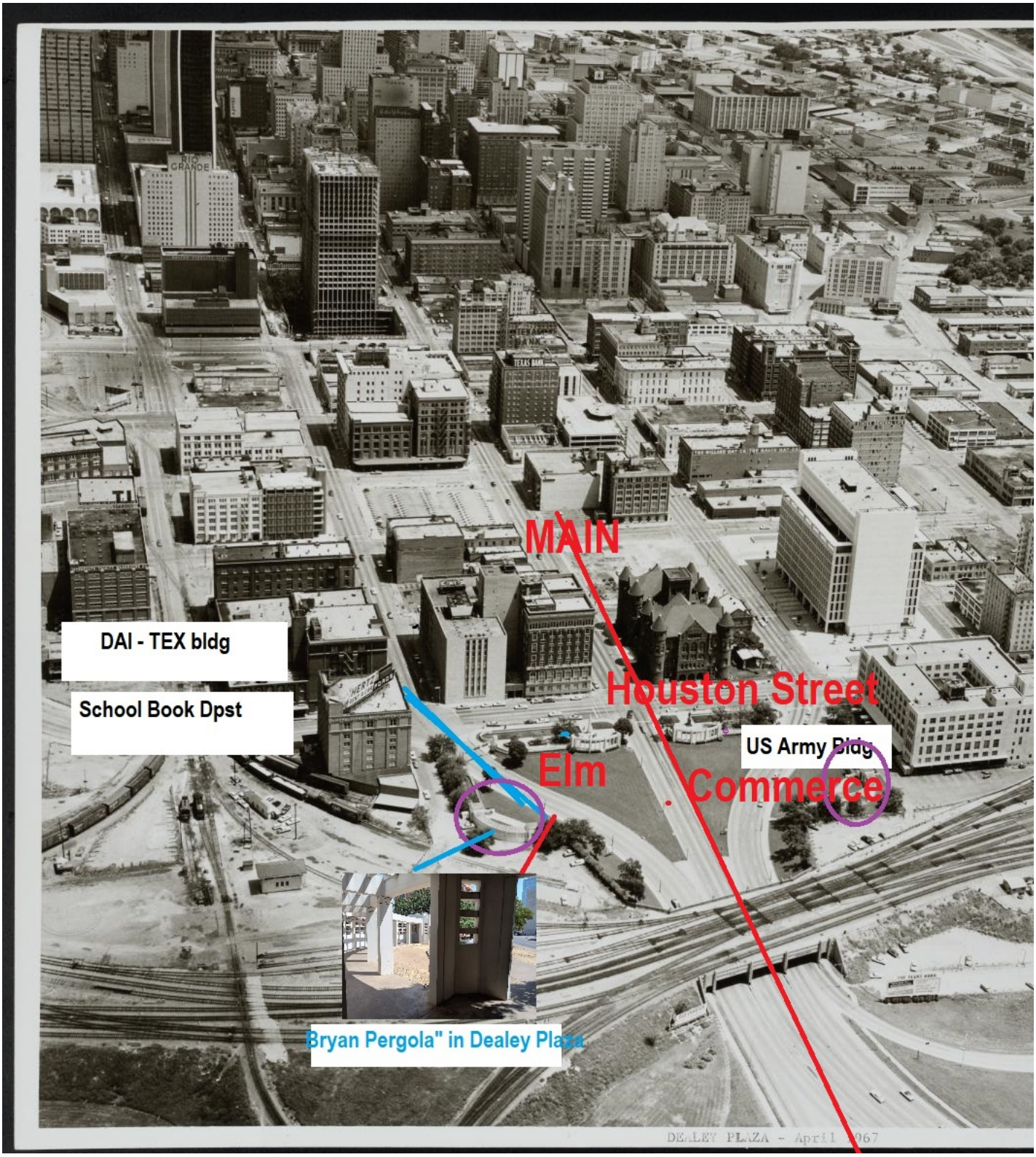


James Altgens Photograph Taken at 12:30 pm in Dealey Plaza, Dallas, Texas, 22 November 1963
Founders Plaza. Bryan and his Railroad. [cropped vertically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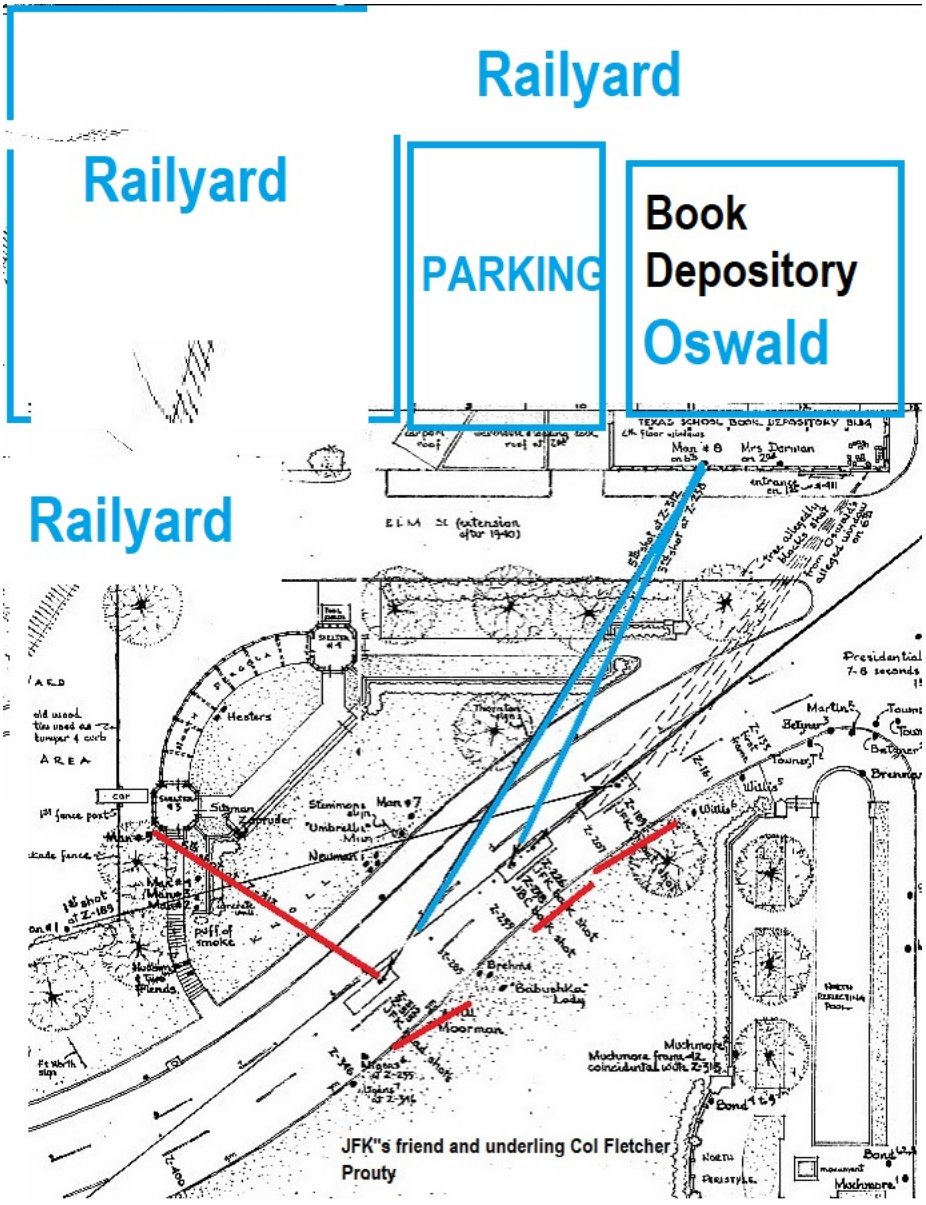
Bryan Pergola" in Dealey Plaza
DEALEY PLAZA - April 1967



This "map" perfectly coordinated two functions: time and place—where Kennedy was at each moment, within 1/18th of a second accuracy, and a distance error of no more than 7.3 inches. The Zapruder film was used to determine the speed of the President's car, the elapsed time between events, especially between the first and last shots (6.8 seconds), and the timing of events in the background. —Richard E. Sprague

To the right of the Military building is the Eddie Bernice Johnson Union Station 400 South Houston Street Dallas, TX 75202-4840

What was the railroad that passed through Dallas Texas? A History of Railroads in Dallas — Museum of the American ... the Houston & Texas Central Railroad With the arrival of the Houston & Texas Central Railroad (H&TC) in 1872, John Neely Bryan, considered the founder of Dallas, would realize his vision of the city becoming a rail destination. Several astute businessmen had followed the progression of the H&TC line as it built northward from Houston. The pergola was named for John Neely Bryan was a Presbyterian farmer, lawyer, and tradesman in the United States and founder of the city of Dallas

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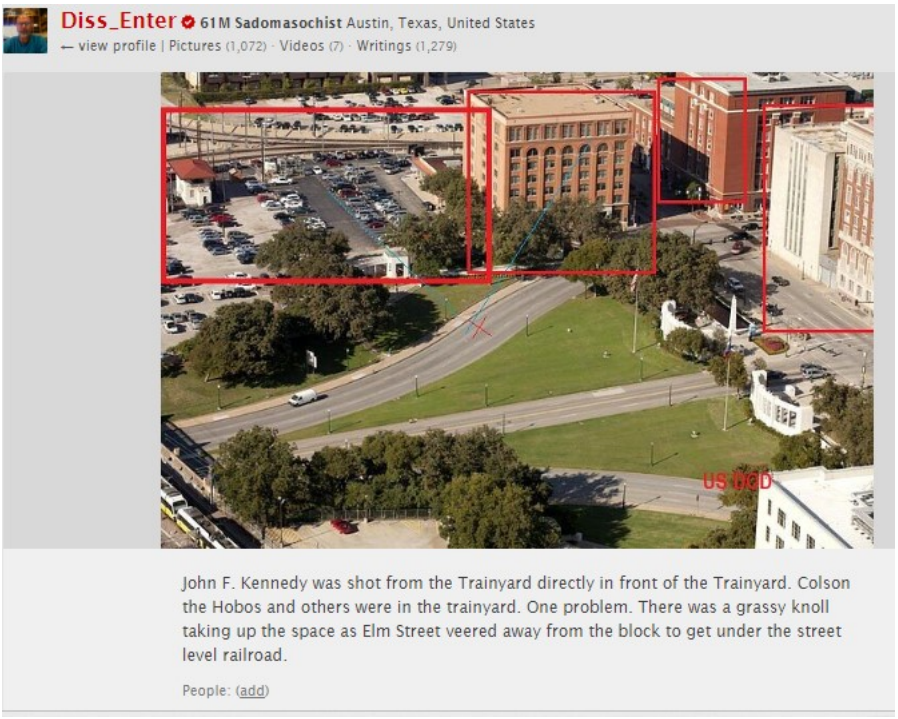
The main difference between a pergola and a gazebo is the function of the roof. A gazebo and a pavilion provide full coverage from the sun, while a pergola allows for sunlight to shine through its slatted roof. Typically, a pergola provides partial shelter and shade over a garden, pathway, or patio.

The trajectory of that first bullet did not correspond to a line from the President to that LHO lair. In fact, the medical evidence, statements from the doctors at Parkland Hospital, as well as other evidence indicates that the shot came from the front. -Prouty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John F. Kennedy was shot from the Trainyard directly in front of the Trainyard. Colson the Hobos and others were in the trainyard. One problem. There was a grassy knoll taking up the space as Elm Street veered away from the block to get under the street level railroad.
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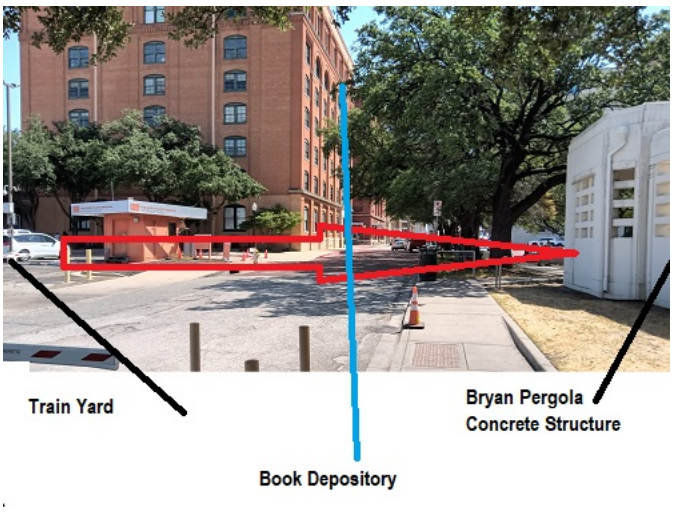

East of the Book Depository and in front of the Train Yards is where JKF was shot. Holt and the Hobos were operating in a Tiger Team next to the Depository

Forensic artist Lois Gibson studied the New Orleans picture, and agrees that it is indeed Chauncey Holt. She testified that the skull shape, ears, shoulders, elbows all fit the known photos of Holt. The photo she used was a still made by the television station crew in New Orleans in August 1963. She also forensically connected Holt with the older tramp in the Dealey Plaza photos taken on the day of the assassination. She has successfully linked his nasal fold, nose, chin intersections, and ears with known photos of him and with the Dealey Plaza photos of the tramps.

BOND OF SECRECY by SAINT JOHN HUNT

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The true story of notorious American spy and Watergate Conspirator E. Howard Hunt and his son, Saint John Hunt. Including startling new information about Watergate and The J.F.K. assassination with photos, documents and the Handwritten memos by E. Howard Hunt from his famous Death bed “last confession.”

HOW CAN I EXPRESS TO YOU WITH WORDS I CANNOT FIND, THE DEEPEST FEELINGS A SON CAN HAVE WITH BODY, SOUL, AND MIND HOW CAN I EXPLAIN A LOVE SO POWERFUL AND TRUE THE MAN THAT I HAVE TRIED TO BE IS THE MAN I SEE IN YOU WITH EVERY PASSING DAY I LEARN WHAT IT MEANS TO BE YOUR SON YOU AND I HAVE SUCH A BOND THAT WILL NEVER BE UNDONE TO MY FATHER FROM HIS SON Saint John Hunt, for his father E. Howard Hunt on Father’s Day, 2005

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When the Kennedy motorcade reached the Dealey Plaza Chauncy Holt was in the parking lot [of the Trainyard] behind the Grassy Knoll. After the shooting took place Holt went to hide in a railroad car. He was joined by Charles Harrelson and Charles Rogers. However, soon afterwards, Dallas police officers entered the railroad car and arrested all three men. The three men along with Jim Brading were interviewed by Gordon Shanklin of the FBI and then released.

E. Howard Hunt deathbed confession to his son William King Harvey (named by Hunt) and others assassinated JFK.

The Last Confession of E. Howard Hunt retrieved from Rolling Stone and copied or modified to here

The ultimate keeper of secrets regarding who killed JFK BY ERIK HEDEGAARD

The middle-class son of a Hamburg, New York, attorney, E. Howard Hunt graduated from Brown University in 1940 with a bachelor's in English, joined the Navy during World War II, served in the North Atlantic on the destroyer Mayo, slipped and fell, took a medical discharge and wound up in China working under "Wild" Bill Donovan in the newly formed Office of Strategic Services. When the OSS was transformed into the CIA, Hunt jumped onboard. He loved action as much as he hated communism, and he soon began operating with a level of arrogance entirely typical of the CIA. He was instrumental, for instance, in planning the 1954 coup in Guatemala that overthrew the left-leaning, democratically elected president, Jacobo Arbenz, and ushered in forty years of military repression, which ultimately cost 200,000 Guatemalans their lives. Years later, when asked about the 200,000 deaths, E. Howard said, "Deaths? What deaths?" Like Saint says, he never felt guilt about anything: "He was a complete self-centered WASP who saw himself as this blue blood from upstate New York. 'I'm better than anybody because I'm white, Protestant and went to Brown, and since I'm in the CIA, I can do anything I want.' Jew, nigger, Polack, wop – he used all those racial epithets. He was an elitist. He hated everybody."

"Whenever I made a sound, he looked at me with those hateful, steely eyes of his, a look of utter contempt and disgust, like he could kill," St. John says. "He was a mean-spirited person and an extremely cruel father. I was his firstborn son, and I was born with a clubfoot and had to have operations. I suffered from petit-mal seizures. I was dyslexic and developed a stutter. For the superspy not to have a superson was the ultimate disappointment, like, 'Here's my idiot son with the clubfoot and glasses. Can we keep him in the closet, Dorothy?'

That same year, his father retired from the CIA after being relegated to the backwaters for his role in the Bay of Pigs. He went to work as a writer for a PR firm. He was bored and missed the hands-on action of the CIA. The following year, however, his lawyer pal Chuck Colson, who was special counsel to Nixon, called him up with an invitation to join the president's *Special Investigations Unit* as a kind of dirty-tricks consultant. He signed on. He really thought he was going places.

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Saint Jophn Hunt's attitude was, "This has nothing to do with you. This stuff is of historical significance and needs to come out, and if you're worried that it'll make him out to be a liar, everybody knows he's a liar already. Is this going to ruin the Hunt name? The Hunt name is already filled with ruination."

So when Saint arrived in Miami to talk to his dad, the two men spent a lot of time waiting for Laura to leave the house. Saint painted the living room and built a wheelchair ramp. In the mornings, he cooked breakfast. In the afternoons, he plopped a fishing hat on E. Howard's head and wheeled him around the neighborhood. They drank coffee together. And watched lots of Fox News. And when Laura finally left, they talked.

Understanding the Geography and landscaping of Dealy Plaza

Kennedy Assassination Site, Elm St. between N. Houston St. and the Triple Underpass – A white "X" on the Elm St. pavement marks the spot where President Kennedy was hit

Houston Street runs like a tangent line to the outer edge of Dallas. It runs mustly North South

Three streets leave it in a perpendicular heading East and running in the East West direction. The North most is Elm Street. The midddle street is Main, and the south most is Commerce Street.

If this were a normal city block then buildings would be between these streets. But the three streets have to narrow to being right next to each other to share a dug down underpass undere the railroad tracks that are blocking street level traffic.

As Elm Street (and Commerce street on the other side of Main) move to converge at the Triple Underpass to get under the railroad artery they cut accross the would have been city bock cutting two triangles of grassway that make up the plaza as embankments.

John F. Kennedy was not shot directly in front of the Books Depository. He was shot from the lot next door to the book depository and that was the train-yard, Holt was in and the Hobos were in.

You might have been able to say Johh F. Kennedy was shot directly in front of the train-yard next to the Book Depository but to the east of the Depository, the lot next door, the Train-yard.

But this would not exactly be true. What was directly in front of the Train-yard was a grassy embankment because Elm Street was closing in with the center street as Commerce Street was so all three streets couuld fit under the narrow underpass.

Thust the shots went from the train-yard across then landscaping then to Elm Street where the JFK limo was.

Jean Hill who was next to JFK ran to where Holt said he was, where Charles Harrelson and E. Howard Hun,t and others were, in the trainyard and she crossed the grassy knoll to get toward the train-yard.

As Col Prouty noted and shows in Guns of Dallas and took photos of for Lee Harevy Oswald to shoot at JFK who was in front of the lot next to the Book Depository, the Train-yard lot, he would have to turn his eyesitght and rifle so far eastward the trees would have blocked his view. That is true today a least and the representations of this points of forensic interest are very cleary shown in the museum.

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At Dealy Plaza

A GATEWAY TO THE CITY

In this photo on the Sixth Floor Museum website what Ed Donegan calls the Grasshy Knoll Architecture is shown that includes a probably Sentry spot on each side as the railroad yard is guarded from public trespasser into it

THE FRONT DOOR OF DALLAS

Hailed as "The Front Door of Dallas," Dealey Plaza served as the major gateway to the city from the west and, equally important, as a symbol of civic pride. In November 1963, that focus changed when President Kennedy was assassinated in the heart of the plaza. Instantly, the cradle of Dallas history became known as an internationally recognized murder site.

Grief-stricken citizens began to bring flowers and mementos to Dealey Plaza within hours of the assassination. These were the first acts in the transformation of the area into an unofficial memorial site to honor the slain president.

Dealey Plaza is a significant part of Dallas history. The site marks the birthplace of Dallas, originally founded by John Neely Bryan in the 1840s. Almost a century later, as part of President Franklin Roosevelt's Works Progress Administration, the familiar white concrete colonnades and triple underpass were constructed, creating a vehicular park to serve as gateway to the city. The project was spearheaded by civic leader George Bannerman Dealey. After G.B. Dealey died in 1946, a bronze statue to honor him was installed in the park that already bore his name. Google Knowledge Panel

Who else is at Dealy Plaza adds to the intrigue. The lot next to the Book Depository contained and contains several sheds on looks like yard supervisor control shedd, another power, another A/C and there was parking. I met the wife of Robert J. Groden in the area and she told me the Sherri's used some of that parking. Lots of Crimninal Justice was in that area with courts and other city buildings.

Also of note was the Commerce Street side of Dealy Plaza. A very large military building is there now for where inductees are takein into the US Army. A Military Entrance Proccessing Center (MEPS).

The are contained the Trade Mart of Clay Shaw, International Business interests, and the US Military having access to these at one time guarded railroad tracks and could alreaby have been a nest of CIA DOD activities mixing arms shipments into Trade Mart Cargo, etc.,

At the very least if Prouty had been on site (or others who were asked not to come) the military building and other city buildings might have been part of security.

With so many police facilities it was easy for cops to quickly seize any evidence.,

One final note from my August 23, 2023 visit that I saw in the exhibits. Cabell as City Mayor had control of Dallas Police and there was some sort of militia inside Dallas PD, and Lee Harvey Oswald was going to transferred per 72 hours detainment policy into County custody. If that happened The Last Phone Call to North Carolina talkiong about Nazis would have been harder to stop, and other interviewers might take notes on what Oswald was saying. Oswald was shot in the city building as he was being taken to County custody.

Houston Police Department's Investigation of Three Tramps in Dealey Plaza

Further evidence of the hand of the conspiracy is found immediately after the shooting. Security on the scene was almost nonexistent. Photographic evidence, including the famous "tramp" photographs, show that ten men were "arrested" at Dealey Plaza. No record of these arrests exists and there is none in the Warren report.

In the case of the "tramps," those three men who were rounded up on orders of Police Inspector J. Herbert Sawyer (the man in charge of security activity at Dealey Plaza), we find a sequence of astounding actions. A Sergeant D.V. Harkness was ordered to stop a freight train and remove the men. Harkness arrested the three men and turned them over to policemen Marvin Wise and Billy Bass, who marched them all the way from the west side of the Book building, around the north side of the Plaza, and into the vehicle entrance of the Sheriff's office. Few people realize this entire procedure took place almost on the steps of the Sheriff's office. While Wise and Bass were marching these men to the Sheriff's office, William Allen, George Smith, and Jack Beers of the Dallas Times Herald, the Fort Worth Star Telegram, and the Dallas Morning News, took several pictures of them.

I have been given a list of the names of these men. - Prouty

The Dal-Tex building on the other side (City of Dalls) side of the Book Depository will be raided and a nest of spies including one Mafia and oil company tied person was found, who fleed upon confrontation (Brading) and is a possible suspect in RFK's death.

To: Edgar Tatro
From: Bill Cheslock
Re: Houston Police Department's Investigation of Three Tramps in Dealey Plaza
Date: November 16, 1991, JFK Symposium, Dallas Texas

John Craig - Homicide Division, Houston D.P. He gave a description of the tramps, plus a little background of each:

Dan Carswell, a CIA agent, was allegedly arrested in Dealey Plaza disguised as a tramp hiding in a railroad car behind the grassy knoll, from where witnesses claimed to have heard gun shots

US Government - House Select Committee on Assassinations, Appendix to Hearings - Volume VI, Page 374 (1979) https://www.maryferrell.org/showDoc.html?docId=957#relPageId=379&tab=page Shortly after the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, Three tramps were arrested in a railroad car behind the Grassy Knoll where numerous witnesses heard shots fired one of the Tramps resembles Dan Carswell, a CIA agent.

The three tramps

E. Howard Hunt and one of the three tramps arrested after JFK's assassination

Frank Sturgis and one of the three tramps

Frank Anthony Sturgis (December 9, 1924 – December 4, 1993), born Frank Angelo Fiorini, was one of the five Watergate burglars whose capture led to the end of the presidency of Richard Nixon.[1] He served in several branches of the United States military and in the Cuban Revolution of 1958, worked as an undercover operative for the Central Intelligence Agency,[2] and was alleged to be involved in the JFK assassination. - Wikipedia

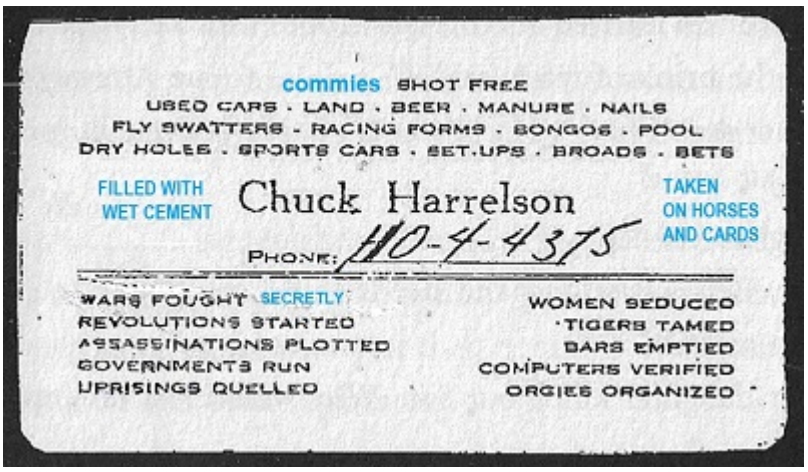
In an exhibit of the Committee on Assassinations Tramp C is compared Fred Crisman (bottom)

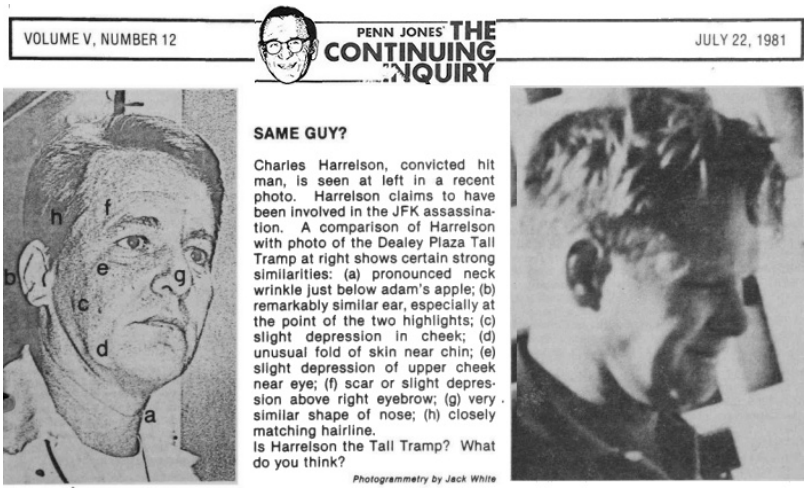
US Government -- House Select Committee on Assassinations, - House Select Committee on Assassinations Appendix to Hearings - Volume VI, Page 376 (1979) (archived at https://www.maryferrell.org/showDoc.html?docId=957#relPageId=380) Tramp C (top) is compared Fred Crisman

Fred Lee Crisman (July 22, 1919 – December 10, 1975) was a fighter pilot and later educator from Tacoma, Washington known for claims of paranormal events and ties to 20th century conspiracies.

On May 26, 1942, Crisman enlisted in the Army, entering the service with the rank of second lieutenant.[5] In 1943, Crisman was listed an aviation cadet undergoing training at Lancaster, California.[6] He was awarded the Air Medal and the Distinguished Flying Cross. Crisman left the Army as a First Lieutenant on February 19, 1946.

Lois Gibson comparison of Hobo Photo Charles Harrelson

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SAME GUY?
Charles Harrelson, convicted hit man, is seen at left in a recent photo. Harrelson claims to have been involved in the JFK assassination. A comparison of Harrelson with photo of the Dealey Plaza Tall Tramp at right shows certain strong similarities: (a) pronounced neck wrinkle just below adam's apple; (b) remarkably similar ear, especially at the point of the two highlights; (c) slight depression in cheek; (d) unusual fold of skin near chin; (e) slight depression of upper cheek near eye; (f) scar or slight depression above right eyebrow; (g) very similar shape of nose; (h) closely matching hairline.
Is Harrelson the Tall Tramp? What do you think?
Photogrammetry by Jack White

Prouty.org.

Lansdale Prouty worked with and ALSO recognized as being close to him in both work and neighbors in nearby houses, meeting inside banks by coincidence off work hours, etc.,

Edward Geary Lansdale (February 6, 1908 – February 23, 1987) was a United States Air Force officer until retiring in 1963 as a major general before continuing his work with the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA). Lansdale was a pioneer in clandestine operations and psychological warfare. In the early 1950s, Lansdale played a significant role in suppressing the Hukbalahap Rebellion in the Philippines. In 1954, he moved to Saigon and started the Saigon Military Mission, a covert intelligence operation which was created to sow dissension in North Vietnam. Lansdale believed the United States could win guerrilla wars by studying the enemy's psychology, an approach that won the approval of the presidential administrations of both Kennedy and Johnson.

Lansdale served with the *Office of Strategic Services* in World War II, ultimately being promoted to major. He extended his tour to remain in the Philippines until 1948, helping the Philippine Army rebuild its intelligence services and resolve the cases of large numbers of prisoners of war.

With most of Lansdale's prior **Army intelligence** officer experience being with *U.S. Army Air Forces* [With James Paul Donegan?] units, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force and was commissioned as a captain when it was established as an independent service in 1947. After leaving the Philippines in 1948, he served as an instructor at the *Strategic Intelligence School* at Lowry Air Force Base, Colorado, where he received a temporary promotion to lieutenant colonel in 1949.

In 1950, President Elpidio Quirino personally requested that Lansdale be transferred to the Joint United States Military Assistance Group, Philippines, to assist the intelligence services of the Armed Forces of the Philippines in combating the Communist Hukbalahap. Lansdale was an early practitioner of psychological warfare. - wikipedia

According to Indonesian political observer Ikrar Nusa Bhakti in a 2017 book, the Philippines and Indonesia have generally avoided turbulence in their bilateral relations since diplomatic relations were established on November 24, 1949.

One cause of strain between the two countries in the past, according to Bhakti, was when then-United States president Dwight Eisenhower's administration used American military bases in Subic and Clark in the Philippines to undertake Central Intelligence Agency operations to support the Pemerintahan Semesta (Permesta) secessionist rebellion in the Indonesian island of Sulawesi from 1957 to 1959.

But the Philippines and Indonesia have maintained ties through geography, trade, migration, assimilation, and intermarriage. Former foreign secretary Teodoro Locsin Jr. also mentioned in a December 2019 speech the countries' "natural affinity" derived from linguistic, cultural, and religious ties, as well as mutual shared defense.

As trading partners, the Philippines and Indonesia have enjoyed agreements in various industries. These include satellite internet, coal supply, energy, data centers, construction, and infrastructure.

"Indonesia has a robust financial technology industry with so many unicorns and decacorns that, we believe, should be co-opted by the Philippines," Mark Castro, secretary general of the Philippine Business Club Indonesia, told Rappler.

Bhakti wrote that changing governments in Indonesia and the Philippines have not changed cordial and fully cooperative relations between the two countries, even through issues related to border crossings, undocumented migrants, or transnational crime. https://www.rappler.com/nation/things-to-know-ties-bind-philippines-indonesia/

Read the Letter To Jim Garrison from Fletcher Prouty. for substantive and extremely interesting information about General Ed Lansdale and Gen. Charles Cabel, who's brother Earle Cabel happened to be the Mayor of Dallas on that fateful Nov.22nd, 1963. Jim Garrisons great book "On The Trail Of The Assassins" (by Prouty)

March 6, 1990

Dear Jim,

It is amazing how things work, I am at home recuperating from a major back operation (to regain my ability to walk); so I was tossing around in bed last night...not too comfortable...and I began to think of Garrison. I thought, "I have got to write Jim a letter detailing how I believe the whole job was done."

By another coincidence I had received a fine set of twenty photos from the Sprague collection in Springfield, Mass. As the odds would have it, he is now living just around the corner here in Alexandria. Why not? Lansdale lived here, Fensterwald lives here, Ford used to live here. Quite a community.

I was studying those photos. One of them is the "Tramps" picture that appears in your book. It is glossy and clear. Lansdale is so clearly identifiable. Why, Lansdale in Dallas? The others don't matter, they are nothing but actors and not gunmen but they are interesting. Others who knew Lansdale as well as I did, have said the same thing, "That's him and what's he doing there?"

As I was reading the paper the Federal Express man came with a book from Jim, that unusual "Lansdale" book. A terrible biography. There could be a great biography about Lansdale. He's no angel; but he is worth a good biography. Currey, a paid hack, did the job. His employers ought to have let him do it right.

I had known Ed since 1952 in the Philippines. I used to fly there regularly with my MATS Heavy Transport Squadron. As a matter of fact, in those days we used to fly wounded men, who were recuperating, from hospitals in Japan to Saigon for R&R on the beaches of Cap St Jacque. That was 1952-1953. Saigon was the Paris of the Orient. And Lansdale was "King Maker" of the Philippines. We always went by way of Manila. I met his team.

He had arrived in Manila in Sept 1945, after the war was over, for a while. He had been sent back there in 1950 by the CIA(OPC) to create a new leader of the Philippines and to get rid of Querino. Sort of like the Marcos deal, or the Noriega operation. Lansdale did it better. I have overthrown a government but I didn't splash it all around like Reagan and Bush have done. Now, who sent him there?

Who sent him there in 1950 (Truman era) to do a job that was not done until 1953 (Ike era)? From 1950 to Feb. 1953 the Director of Central Intelligence was Eisenhower's old Chief of Staff, Gen Walter Bedell Smith. Smith had been Ambassador to Moscow from 1946 to 1949. The lesser guys in the CIA at the time were Allen Dulles, who was Deputy Director Central Intelligence from Aug. 1951 to Feb. 1953. Frank Wisner became the Deputy Director, Plans (Clandestine Activities) when Dulles became DDCI. Lansdale had to have received his orders from among these four men: Truman, Smith, Dulles, and Wisner. Of course the Sec State could have had some input...i.e. Acheson. Who wanted Querino out, that badly? Who wanted HUKS there?

In Jan 1953 Eisenhower arrived. John Foster Dulles was at State and Gen Smith his Deputy. Allen Dulles was the DCI and General Cabel his deputy. None of them changed Lansdale's prior orders to "get" Querino. Lansdale operated with abandon in the Philippines. The Ambassador and the CIA Station Chief, George Aurell, did not know what he was doing. They believed he was some sort of kook Air Force Officer there...a role Lansdale played to the hilt. Magsaysay became President, Dec 30, 1953.

With all of this on the record, and a lot more, this guy Currey comes out of the blue with this purported "Biography". I knew Ed [ward Lansdale] well enough and long enough to know that he was a classic chameleon. He would tell the truth sparingly and he would fabricate a lot. Still, I can not believe that he told Currey the things Currey writes. Why would Lansdale want Currey to perpetuate such out and out bullshit about him? Can't be. This is a terribly fabricated book. It's not even true about me. I believe that this book was ordered and delineated by the CIA.

At least I know the truth about myself and about Gen. Krulak. Currey libels us terribly. In fact it may be Krulak who caused the book to be taken off the shelves. Krulak and his Copley Press cohorts have the power to get that done, and I encouraged them to do just that when it first came out. Krulak was mad!

Ed told me many a time how he operated in the Philippines. He said, "All I had was a blank checkbook signed by the U.S. government". He made friends with many influential Filipinos. I have met Johnny Orendain and Col Valeriano, among others, in Manila with Lansdale. He became acquainted with the wealthiest Filipino of them all, Soriano. Currey never even mentions him. Soriano set up Philippine Airlines and owned the big San Miguel beer company, among other things. Key man in Asia.

Lansdale's greatest strategy was to create the "HUKS" as the enemy and to make Magsaysay the "Huk Killer." He would take Magsaysay's battalion out into a "Huk" infested area. He would use movies and "battlefield" sound systems, i.e. fireworks to scare the poor natives. Then one-half of Magsaysay's battalion, dressed as natives, would "attack" the village at night. They'd fire into the air and burn some shacks. In the morning the other half, in uniform, would attack and "capture" the "Huks". They would bind them up in front of the natives who crept back from the forests, and even have a "firing" squad

"kill" some of them. Then they would have Magsaysay make a big speech to the people and the whole battalion would roll down the road to have breakfast together somewhere...ready for the next "show".

Ed would always see that someone had arranged to have newsmen and camera men there and Magsaysay soon became a national hero. This was a tough game and Ed bragged that a lot of people were killed; but in the end Magsaysay became the "elected" President and Querino was ousted "legally."

This formula endeared Ed to Allen Dulles. In 1954 Dulles established the Saigon Military Mission in Vietnam...counter to Eisenhower's orders. He had the French accept Lansdale as its chief. This mission was not in Saigon. It was not military, and its job was subversion in Vietnam. Its biggest job was that it got more than 1,100,000 northern Vietnamese to move south. 660,000 by U.S.Navy ships and the rest by CIA airline planes. These 1,100,000 north Vietnamese became the "subversive" element in South Vietnam and the principal cause of the warmaking. Lansdale and his cronies (Bohanon, Arundel, Phillips, Hand, Conein and many others) did all that using the same check book. I was with them many times during 1954. All Malthuseanism.

I have heard him brag about capturing random Vietnamese and putting them in a Helicopter. Then they would work on them to make them "confess" to being Viet Minh. When they would not, they would toss them out of the chopper, one after the other, until the last ones talked. This was Ed's idea of fun...as related to me many times. Then Dulles, Adm. Radford and Cardinal Spellman set up Ngo Dinh Diem. He and his brother, Nhu, became Lansdale proteges.

At about 1957 Lansdale was brought back to Washington and assigned to Air Force Headquarters in a Plans office near mine. He was a fish out of water. He didn't know Air Force people and Air Force ways. After about six months of that, Dulles got the Office of Special Operations under General Erskine to ask for Lansdale to work for the Secretary of Defense. Erskine was man enough to control him.

By 1960 Erskine had me head the Air Force shop there. He had an Army shop and a Navy shop and we were responsible for all CIA relationships as well as for the National Security Agency. Ed was still out of his element because he did not know the services; but the CIA sent work his way.

Then in the Fall of 1960 something happened that fired him up. Kennedy was elected over Nixon. Right away Lansdale figured out what he was going to do with the new President. Overnight he left for Saigon to see Diem and to set up a deal that would make him, Lansdale, Ambassador to Vietnam. He had me buy a "Father of his Country" gift for Diem...$700.00.

I can't repeat all of this but you should get a copy of the Gravel edition, 5 Vol.'s, of the Pentagon Papers and read it. The Lansdale accounts are quite good and reasonably accurate.

Ed came back just before the Inauguration and was brought into the White House for a long presentation to Kennedy about Vietnam. Kennedy was taken by it and promised he would have Lansdale back in Vietnam "in a high office". Ed told us in OSO he had the Ambassadorship sewed up. He lived for that job.

He had not reckoned with some of JFK's inner staff, George Ball, etc. Finally the whole thing turned around and month by month Lansdale's star sank over the horizon. Erskine retired and his whole shop was scattered. The Navy men went back to the navy as did the Army folks. Gen Wheeler in the JCS asked to have me assigned to the Joint Staff. This wiped out the whole Erskine (Office of Special Operations) office. It was comical. There was Lansdale up there all by himself with no office and no one else. He boiled and he blamed it on Kennedy for not giving him the "promised" Ambassadorship to let him "save" Vietnam.

Then with the failure of the Bay of Pigs, caused by that phone call to cancel the air strikes by McGeorge Bundy, the military was given the job of reconstituting some sort of Anti-Castro operation. It was headed by an Army Colonel; but somehow Lansdale (most likely CIA influence) got put into the plans for Operation Mongoose...to get Castro...ostensibly.

The U.S. Army has a think-tank at American University. It was called "Operation Camelot". This is where the "Camelot" concept came from. It was anti-JFK's Vietnam strategy. The men running it were Lansdale types, Special Forces background. "Camelot" was King Arthur and Knights of the Round Table: not JFK...then.

Through 1962 and 1963 Mongoose and "Camelot" became strong and silent organizations dedicated to countering JFK. Mongoose had access to the CIA's best "hit men" in the business and a lot of "strike" capability. Lansdale had many old friends in the media business such as Joe Alsop, Henry Luce among others. With this background and with his poisoned motivation I am positive that he got collateral orders to manage the Dallas event under the guise of "getting" Castro. It is so simple at that level. A nod from the right place, source immaterial, and the job's done.

The "hit" is the easy part. The "escape" must be quick and professional. The cover-up and the scenario are the big jobs. They more than anything else prove the Lansdale mastery.

Lansdale was a master writer and planner. He was a great "scenario" guy. It still have a lot of his personally typed material in my files. I am certain that he was behind the elaborate plan and mostly the intricate and enduring cover-up. Given a little help from friends at PEPSICO he could easily have gotten Nixon into Dallas, for "orientation': and LBJ in the cavalcade at the same time, contrary to Secret Service policy.

He knew the "Protection" units and the "Secret Service", who was needed and who wasn't. Those were routine calls for him, and they would have believed him. Cabell could handle the police.

The "hit men" were from CIA overseas sources, for instance, from the "Camp near Athena, Greece. They are trained, stateless, and ready to go at any time. They ask no questions: speak to no one. They are simply told what to do, when and where. Then they are told how they will be removed and protected. After all, they work for the U.S. Government. The "Tramps" were actors doing the job of cover-up. The hit men are just pros. They do the job for the CIA anywhere. They are impersonal. They get paid. They get protected, and they have enough experience to "blackmail" anyone, if anyone ever turns on them...just like Drug agents. The job was clean, quick and neat. No ripples.

The whole story of the POWER of the Cover-up comes down to a few points. There has never been a Grand Jury and trial in Texas. Without a trial there can be nothing. Without a trial it does no good for researchers to dig up data. It has no place to go and what the researchers reveal just helps make the cover-up tighter, or they eliminate that evidence and the researcher.

The first man LBJ met with on Nov 29th, after he had cleared the foreign dignitaries out of Washington was Waggoner Carr, Atty Gen'l, Texas to tell him, "No trial in Texas...ever."

The next man he met, also on Nov 29th, was J. Edgar Hoover. The first question LBJ asked his old "19 year" neighbor in DC was "Were THEY shooting at me?" LBJ thought that THEY had been shooting at him also as they shot at his friend John Connally. Note that he asked, "Were THEY shooting at me?" LBJ knew there were several hitmen. That's the ultimate clue...THEY.

The Connallys said the same thing...THEY. Not Oswald.

Then came the heavily loaded press releases about Oswald all written before the deal and released actually before LHO had ever been charged with the crime. I bought the first newspaper EXTRA on the streets of Christchurch, New Zealand with the whole LHO story in that first news...photos and columns of it before the police in Dallas had yet to charge him with that crime. All this canned material about LHO was flashed around the world.

Lansdale and his Time-Life and other media friends, with Valenti in Hollywood, have been doing that cover-up since Nov 1963. Even the deMorenschildt story enhances all of this. In deM's personal telephone/address notebook he had the name of an Air Force Colonel friend of mine, Howard Burrus. Burrus was always deep in intelligence. He had been in one of the most sensitive Attache spots in Europe...Switzerland. He was a close friend of

another Air Force Colonel and Attache, Godfrey McHugh, who used to date Jackie Bouvier. DeM had Burrus listed under a DC telephone number and on that same telephone number he had "L.B.Johnson, Congressman." Quite a connection. Why...from the Fifties yet.?

Godfrey McHugh was the Air Force Attache in Paris. Another most important job. I knew him well, and I transferred his former Ass't Attache to my office in the Pentagon. This gave me access to a lot of information I wanted in the Fifties. This is how I learned that McHugh's long-time special "date" was the fair Jacqueline...yes, the same Jackie Bouvier. Sen. Kennedy met Jackie in Paris when he was on a trip. At that time JFK was dating a beautiful SAS Airline Stewardess who was the date of that Ass't Attache who came to my office. JFK dumped her and stole Jackie away from McHugh. Leaves McHugh happy????

At the JFK Inaugural Ball who should be there but the SAS stewardess, Jackie--of course, and Col Godfrey McHugh. JFK made McHugh a General and made him his "Military Advisor" in the White House where he was near Jackie while JFK was doing all that official travelling connected with his office AND other special interests. Who recommended McHugh for the job?

General McHugh was in Dallas and was on Air Force One, with Jackie, on the flight back to Washington..as was Jack Valenti. Why was LBJ's old cohort there at that time and why was he on Air Force One? He is now the Movie Czar. Why in Dallas?

See how carefully all of this is interwoven. Burrus is now a very wealthy man in Washington. I have lost track of McHugh. And Jackie is doing well. All in the Lansdale--deM shadows.

One of Lansdale's special "black" intelligence associates in the Pentagon was Dorothy Matlack of U.S. Army Intelligence. How does it happen that when deM. flew from Haiti to testify, he was met at the National Airport by Dorothy?

The Lansdale story is endless. What people do not do is study the entire environment of his strange career. For example: the most important part of my book, "The Secret Team", is not something that I wrote. It is Appendix III under the title, "Training Under The Mutual Security Program". This is a most important bit of material. It tells more about the period 1963 to 1990 than anything. I fought to have it included verbatim in the book. This material was the work of Lansdale and his crony General Dick Stillwell. Anyone interested in the "JFK Coup d'Etat" ought to know it by heart.

I believe this document tells why the Coup took place. It was to reverse the sudden JFK re-orientation of the U.S. Government from Asia to Europe, in keeping with plans made in 1943 at Cairo and Teheran by T.V. Soong and his Asian masterminds. Lansdale and Stillwell were long-time "Asia hands" as were Gen Erskine, Adm Radford, Cardinal Spellman, Henry Luce and so many others.

In October 1963, JFK had just signalled this reversal, to Europe, when he published National Security Action Memorandum #263 saying...among other things...that he was taking 1000 troops home from Vietnam by Christmas 1963 and ALL AMERICANS out of Vietnam by the end of 1965. That cost him his life.

JFK came to that "Pro-Europe" conclusion in the Summer of 1963 and sent Gen Krulak to Vietnam for advance work. Kurlak and I (with others) wrote that long "Taylor-McNamara" Report of their "Visit to Vietnam" (obviously they did not write, illustrate and bind it as they traveled). Krulak got his information daily in the White House. We simply wrote it. That led to NSAM #263. This same Trip Report is Document #142 and appears on page 751 to 766 of Vol. II of the Gravel Edition of the Pentagon Papers. NSAM #263 appears on pages 769-770 (It makes the Report official). This major Report and NSAM indicated an enormous shift in the orientation of U.S. Foreign Policy from Asia back to Europe. JFK was much more Europe- oriented, as was his father, than pro-Asia. This position was anathema to the Asia-born Luces, etc.

There is the story from an insider. I sat in the same office with Lansdale, (OSO of OSD) for years. I listened to him in Manila and read his flurry of notes from 1952 to 1964. I know all this stuff, and much more. I could write ten books. I send this to you because I believe you are one of the most sincere of the "true researchers". You may do with it as you please. I know you will do it right. I may give copies of this to certain other people of our persuasion. (Years ago I told this to Mae Brussell on the promise she would hold it. She did.)

Now you can see why I have always said that identification of the "Tramps" was unnecessary, i.e. they are actors. The first time I saw that picture I saw the man I knew and I realized why he was there. He caused the political world to spin on its axis. Now, back to recuperating.

L. Fletcher Prouty

CHUCK HARRELSON

EUGENE HALE BRADING / JIM BRADEN,

Brading is a mafia figre. He is tied to Haroldson Lafayette (HL) Hunt Jr a very rich oil man, and that man's rich son Lamar Hunt. (also tied to the Bush family) They all seem in the plot to kill JFK and possibly RFK. In this group of friends in oil is Morgan Brown of Morgan OIl Beverly Hills California and Ed Donegan suspects Operation 40 Weight Oil Acts as the oil industry goes after JFK and later RFK.

Jim Braden, also known as Eugene Hale Brading, a known Mafia courier. He said he had had an appointment to meet Lamar Hunt, son of H.L. Hunt, the oil millionaire, on oil business. Braden was with a friend, Morgan H. Brown, who bolted when he heard he had been taken in for questioning.

Morgan Holbert Brown — Address in 1963: *Morgan Oil Company*, 449 South Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills, California; also: Morgan Oil Company, Santa Barbara, California. https://www.archives.gov/files/research/jfk/releases/docid-32270384.pdf

https://drakestation.wordpress.com/tag/morgan-holbert-brown/Meltdown, Mysterious Mr Brown tries to get lease from Langford. September 3, 1963

Morgan Holbert Brown did not actually have the lease when he negotiated with the pancake king Dahl. Brown, who tried to get a lease since the July meeting, finally got a drilling agreement September 3, 1963 from the California-L Exploration Company — Cal.-L — the compan that was actually leasing from the Hollister Ranch. Brown was told that he had two months to start drilling, lest the sub-lease expire.

Sixty days later, in the beginning of November 1963, the vice president of Cal-L, DeWitt Langford, reportedly tried to inform Brown the drilling agreement was to expire. Morgan Holbert Brown could not be located in Santa Barbara, so notice was mailed to Brown, care of the Royal Globe Oil Corporation; the letter was returned unopened. Two weeks later, when Brown was in Dallas trying to negotiate financing for the oil business in the offices of H. L. Hunt, John F Kennedy was assassinated.

Meltdown. The Mysterious Mr Brown was in Dallas when JFK was shot November 22, 1963

Eugene Hale Brading (also known as James Lee and Jim Braden) had developed a long criminal record when in California. He’d been arrested 35 times and was conficted for burglary, illegal bookmaking and embezzlement.

The day before John F. Kennedy was assassinated, Brading arrived in Dallas with a man named Morgan Holbert Brown. The two men stayed in Suite 301 of the Cabana Motel. In the afternoon before Brading went to visit the office of Haroldson L. Hunt, a Texas billionaire. It has been written that Jack Ruby was also at Hunt’s office that time. https://drakestation.wordpress.com/tag/morgan-holbert-brown/

A man with 30 arrests to his record, Braden had been staying at the Kabanya Motor Hotel, where Jack Ruby - who was to kill Lee Harvey Oswald in the Police Headquarters basement two days after the assassination - had met some of his Chicago friends the night before the President was killed. Braden was not detained.

Five years later, however, Braden was to turn up in Los Angeles when Senator Robert Kennedy was murdered.

Interestingly, there were several arrests made in the Dal Tex building. A young man wearing a black leather jacket and black gloves was taken to the Sheriff's Office who, according to the police, '. . . had been up in the building across the street from the Book Depository without a good excuse'. No record appears to exist of the man or of any interrogation, however, and he seems to have somehow slipped away from the Sheriff's Office and disappeared, without even anything to indicate he was thereafter sought. Larry Florer was also arrested and detained for some hours. He said he had asked where he could find a telephone and had been directed to the Dal Tex building. All lines being busy, Florer said he could not make his call and he was arrested as he left the building. A third man arrested there was extremely interesting. He was Jim Braden, also known as Eugene Hale Brading, a known Mafia courier. He said he had had an appointment to meet Lamar Hunt, son of H.L. Hunt, the oil millionaire, on oil business. Braden was with a friend, Morgan H. Brown, who bolted when he heard he had been taken in for questioning. A man with 30 arrests to his record, Braden had been staying at the Kabanya Motor Hotel, where Jack Ruby - who was to kill Lee Harvey Oswald in the Police Headquarters basement two days after the assassination - had met some of his Chicago friends the night before the President was killed. Braden was not detained. Five years later, however, Braden was to turn up in Los Angeles when Senator Robert Kennedy was murdered.

Haroldson Lafayette Hunt Jr. (February 17, 1889 – November 29, 1974) was an American oil tycoon.[1] By trading poker winnings for oil rights according to legend, but more likely through money he gained from successful speculation in oil leases, he ultimately secured title to much of the East Texas Oil Field, one of the world's largest oil deposits. He acquired rights to East Texas oil lands initially through a $30,000 land purchase from oil speculator Dad Joiner, and founded Hunt Oil in 1936.[2] From it and his other acquisitions, which included diverse interests in publishing, cosmetics, pecan farming, and health food producers, he accrued a fortune that was among the world's largest. In the 1950's, his Facts Forum Foundation supported highly conservative newspaper columns and radio programs, some of which he authored and produced himself, and for which he became known.[2] At his death, he was reputed to have one of the highest net worths of any individual in the world, a fortune estimated between two and three billion dollars.

In 1957, Fortune estimated that Hunt had a fortune of $400–700 million,[4] and was one of the eight richest people in the United States. J. Paul Getty, who was considered to be the richest private citizen in the world, said of Hunt, "In terms of extraordinary, independent wealth, there is only one man—H. L. Hunt."

Hunt supported and had children by Ruth Ray of Shreveport, Louisiana, whom he had met when she was a secretary in his Shreveport office. They married in 1957 after the death of Hunt's wife Lyda. His four children by her were: Ray Lee (born 1943), June (1944), Helen (1949), and Swanee (1950).[9] His youngest son, Ray Lee, ultimately inherited the business and was a major supporter of President George W. Bush.

Madeleine Duncan Brown, an advertising executive who claimed to have had both an extended love affair and a son with President Lyndon B. Johnson, said that she was present at a party at the Dallas home of Clint Murchison Sr. (another oil tycoon), on the evening prior to the assassination of John F. Kennedy that was attended by Johnson as well as other famous, wealthy, and powerful individuals including Hunt, Murchison, J. Edgar Hoover, and Richard Nixon/

According to Brown, Johnson had a meeting with several of the men after which he told her: "After tomorrow, those goddamn Kennedys will never embarrass me again. That's no threat. That's a promise."[21][nb 1] Brown's story received national attention and became part of at least a dozen John F. Kennedy assassination conspiracy theories.

This conspiracy theory was debunked by Kennedy assassination investigator Dave Perry. Evidence showed neither President Johnson nor Hoover were in Dallas at the time of the alleged party and Murchison had not lived in his Dallas home for a number of years. Witnesses place Murchison at his East Texas ranch.

CHARLES FREDERICK ROGERS

Alias "Montoya" and "Rojas." Worked for the C IA and was a physicist

Charles Rogers (Hobo) retrieved from Wikipedia and copied or modified to here

Charles Frederick Rogers (December 30, 1921[1] – disappeared June 23, 1965) was an American seismologist, pilot, and murder suspect who disappeared in June 1965 after police discovered the dismembered bodies of his elderly parents in the refrigerator of the Houston home all three shared, in what the media later dubbed "The Icebox Murders".[2] Rogers has never been found and was declared dead in absentia in July 1975. He remains the only suspect in the murders, which are still considered unsolved.

Charles Rogers enrolled at Texas A&M University in 1942, but later dropped out.[3] He then enrolled at the University of Houston, where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in nuclear physics. During World War II, Rogers was a pilot in the United States Navy and also served in the Office of Naval Intelligence.[4] After the war, he worked as a seismologist for Shell Oil for nine years.[1] He abruptly quit his job in 1957 without giving an explanation.

Friends and associates of Rogers later said that he was highly intelligent and had a talent for finding gas, oil and gold for the companies for which he worked. He also spoke seven languages and had an interest in ham radios.[5] In the mid-1950s, Rogers joined the Civil Air Patrol, where he reportedly met David Ferrie, an alleged conspirator in the assassination of President John F. Kennedy

By 1965, Rogers was unemployed and living with his elderly parents, Fred Christopher (born January 19, 1884) and Edwina Ivor Rogers (born October 8, 1892), in the Montrose neighborhood of Houston. Described as "reclusive", Rogers was reported to have communicated with his parents by way of notes slipped under the door. Neighbors were unaware that Rogers lived with his parents as he generally left the home before dawn and did not return until after dark.

On June 23, 1965, two Houston police officers were dispatched to the Rogers' home to conduct a welfare check after Edwina's nephew Marvin reported that his phone calls to his aunt had gone unanswered for days. After receiving no answering after knocking, the officers forced their way into the Rogers' home. Upon entering, the officers found nothing unusual but noticed food sitting on the dining room table.[8] One officer opened the refrigerator and found what appeared to be numerous cuts of washed, unwrapped meat neatly stacked on the shelves.[3] The officer later recalled that he thought the meat was that of a butchered hog.[9] As the officer was closing the door, he noticed two human heads visible through the clear glass of the vegetable bin.[10] The heads were those of Fred and Edwina Rogers. What the officer initially thought were unwrapped cuts of hog meat were the couple's dismembered limbs and torsos.[3] Police later discovered the couple's organs in a nearby sewer (the organs had been removed, cut up and flushed down the toilet) while other remains were never found.

Police determined that Fred and Edwina Rogers had been killed on June 20, Father's Day. An autopsy showed that Fred was bludgeoned to death with a claw hammer. His eyes had been gouged out and his genitalia were removed. Edwina had been beaten and shot, execution style, in the head.[5] Police further said that the bodies were dismembered in the upstairs bathroom by a person "with some knowledge of anatomy".

There was little blood in the house and it appeared it had been thoroughly cleaned after the murders.[3] What little blood was found led to Charles' bedroom. There, police found a bloodstained keyhole saw but no trace of Rogers himself.[2] A search for Rogers was launched and a warrant was issued for him as a material witness to the crime, but he was never found.

Allegations of involvement in the assassination of JFK

Rogers' life was documented in the 1992 book The Man on the Grassy Knoll by John R. Craig and Philip A. Rogers.[4][7] According to this work, Rogers was a CIA agent who was postulated to have impersonated Lee Harvey Oswald in Mexico City and, along with Charles Harrelson, was one of two shooters involved in the assassination of President Kennedy. The authors contend that Rogers, Harrelson, and Chauncey Holt were the "three tramps" arrested in Dealey Plaza after the assassination, and that Rogers murdered his parents because his mother was tracking his many telephone calls. In this account, Rogers fled to Guatemala.[13] Publishers Weekly reviewed the book stating: "The authors do a workmanlike job with their thesis, but the degree of poetic license, in terms of reconstructed dialogue and attributed thought, seems excessive here, and sourcing is virtually nonexistent. Assassination buffs, however, will welcome the book for its novelty value and its easy readability."

Aftermath

In 1975, a Houston judge declared Rogers legally dead so his estate could be probated.[9] The case still remains officially unsolved and Rogers remains the only suspect.

Houston forensic accountant Hugh Gardenier and his wife Martha have continued to investigate the case and concluded that Rogers did murder his parents and was later killed in Honduras.[13] While they have dismissed John R. Craig and Philip A. Rogers's claim that Rogers was a CIA operative due to a lack of evidence, they admit that Rogers did have dealings with contract workers for the CIA when he worked as a seismologist.

The Gardeniers believe that Rogers planned the murder of his parents for years because his father was abusive and both parents were "devious con artists". According to them, Fred worked as a bookie who regularly engaged in illegal activities such as gambling and fraud. They believe he continued abusing Charles into adulthood and began stealing large sums of money from him. The Gardeniers claim that after Rogers killed and dismembered his parents, he fled the U.S. for Mexico and was never found because he was aided by "powerful friends" he met through his ham radio hobby and while working for various oil and mining companies.[5] They have theorized that Rogers eventually made his way to Honduras, where he was killed over a wage dispute with miners.

In October 2003, Redbud Publishing released The Ice Box Murders, a novel written by the Gardeniers.[15] According to a review in the Houston Press: "The Ice Box Murders is written as fact-based fiction and supposition. There are many unnamed characters in the book: various politicians and attorneys as well as the eyewitness who said he saw Rogers in Honduras after 1965."[14] Publishers Weekly also referred to the novel as "fact-based fiction".

The house in which the murders took place was located at 1815 Driscoll Street. After the murders, the house remained empty and unsold. It was torn down in 1972. The lot remained empty until 2000 when condominiums were built on the lot.

Was Rogers and his family assasinated to keep the secrecy of the hit on JFK? Did they question Rodgers and kill him?

Charles Frederick Rogers - Alias "Montoya" and "Rojas." Worked for the C IA and was a physicist.

Chuck Harrelson- Taller tramp. John Craig of the Houston P.D. knows Harrelson, as the latter's brother Claude worked for the detective.

Chauncey Holt- Has come forward, and given himself up to Houston Police. He says he is the older tramp in the pictures. He tried to stay out of pictures taken of them by standing in back of the other two tramps. He even made funny faces to make identification difficult. Holt has given eight hours of video deposition. John Craig believes Holt to be for real.

These older tramp is now 70 years old, considered a genius, worked for the CIA, Organized Crime, was a master document forger, and was once tried for assassination, but acquitted. Holt said that, in addition to getting old and wishing to tell the truth, he is also very tired of being mistaken for E. Howard Hunt. Detective:Craig believes that this can be a major break in the JFK case if Holt is for real. Finally, Chauncey Holt was willing to come to the Symposium, and tell his story, if heavy security could be guaranteed. This could not be guaranteed, and he thus refused to come to Dallas.

Next in his presention, Detective Craig introduced Lois Gibson, who works for the Houston P.D. as a forensic artist. In addition, she graduated from the F.B.I. school for forensic artistry, and has worked for the Bureau for the past ten years. She has one hundred and fifty cases pending at the moment, and has been involved in thousands of cases requiring OrtaTied court forensic artists.

The third individual panelist, Phil Rogers, gave a biographical sketch of each of the three tramps;

Charles Frederick Rogers- Born 1921, Houston, Texas. In 1965, he butchered his parents and preserved them in a refrigerator after cutting them to pieces. When friends started to get Jsuspicious, they called police to the Rogers' house. Charles, living in the house all this time, was able to flee out the back, and vanished. Found in the house, besides the bodies in the refrigerator, was a sophisticated short wave set connected to an antenna, similar to Those used by intelligence agents. He has had no; job since 1957, but was always well dressed. He had a pilot's license, and flew for Air America. He had numerous post office boxes under assumed names.

Panelist Rogers stated that the Houston P.D. requested the FBI to put Frederick Rogers into the national computer system (N.C.I.C.). Just recently, the Houston P.D. discovered that the FBI originally never fulfilled that request, and has since refused subsequent requests by the Houston P.D. to put.Charles Frederick Rogers into the computer. Houston police officials find this reluctance by the FBI to be: very strange, to say the least. Besides being employed the CIA, Rogers attended the University of Houston as a physics major, is a linguist, was in the Civil Air Patrol in the 1950's and held a similar position to that of David Ferrie, worked as a seismologist in Canada, was declared legally dead in 1975, but the Houston P.D. believes that he is now living in Central America. Police officials believe that his parents saw or heard something they should not have in 1965, and paid for their mistake with their lives.

Charles Harrelson- Born in Huntsville, Texas. While living in California, he was presented with the "Salesman of the Year" award for selling books. He then turned to a life of crime, and in 1968, was charged with murder. With the murder of Federal Judge Wood, he was on the run from police authorities, and when finally cornered in El Paso in a six hour standoff, admitted to being in Dealey Plaza, and killihg President Kennedy. He later retracted this statement, saying that he was high on cocaine. He is now in the Marion, Illinois institution for murdering Judge Wood.

Chauncey Holt- Born 1921 in Kentucky. Known to have artistic talent, was in the Air Force and was court martialed while serving in that armed forces branch. Knew hit man for the Detroit mob named Bob Zowick. Holt was an accountant for mobster Meyer Lansky in Miami, and was a member of the International Rescue Committee, which was a CIA group.

CHAUNCEY HOLT'S STORY

Self-Portrait of a Scoundrel by Chauncey Holt (Author)

Released for the first time 16 years after his death, this startling autobiography by one of the so-called “three tramps” from the John F. Kennedy assassination reveals the details of Chauncey Marvin Holt’s many claims. Much mystery and suspicion still swirls around that fateful day in November 1963, and theories abound in nearly every form of media. But one of the major mysteries revolves around the three men spotted and later arrested in Dealey Plaza. Holt’s controversial confession to being one of the three tramps has a history of its own, and in his own words he delves into his unique and wild background and life. From his United States Air Force service during Pearl Harbor to his associations with the mob and the CIA, Holt discusses his experiences and encounters in great detail. From a man who truly lived a rare and unique life, the book explains the ins and outs of his associations with Lee Harvey Oswald and the assassination in this unique retrospective of a complex and occasionally dubious life.

Holt admitted to printing Lee Harvey Oswald's Fair Play for Cuba leaflets while in California. He admitted to being on the street corner.rwith Oswald in New Orleans when the staged skirmish went on with Anti Castro Cubans. Others present were Frank Belcher, and Leroy Young, shown in the picture. Holt says that when he realized the photo was being taken, he started walking away. One anecdote Holt added to this New Orleans staged show was that they had to talk Oswald into going through with it, as he got cold feet as the time neared.

Forensic artist Lois Gibson studied the New Orleans picture, and agrees that it is indeed Chauncey Holt. She testified that the skull shape, ears, shoulders, elbows all fit the known photos of Holt. The photo she used was a still made by the television station crew in New Orleans in August 1963. She also forensically connected Holt with the older tramp in the Dealey Plaza photos taken on the day of the assassination. She has successfully linked his nasal fold, nose, chin intersections, and ears with known photos of him and with the Dealey Plaza photos of the tramps.

Lois Gibson (born c. 1950)[citation needed] is an American forensic artist who holds a 2017 Guinness World Record for most identifications by a forensic artist.[1] [2] She also drew the first forensic sketch shown on America's Most Wanted, which helped identify the suspect and solve the case.

Lois Gibson works for the Houston Police Department and is one the most respected forensic facial experts in the world. She was recently awarded with a notation in the Guinness Book of World Records for the highest crime solving rate based on composite sketches. Lois Gibson has made a comparison study of the "three tramps", photographed in Dealey Plaza on November 22, 1963. She concluded that the three men were Chauncey Holt, Charles Harrelson and Charles Rogers. The video presentation of her analysis can be found on the Internet.

Lois Gibson used her forensic expertise on photos of Charles Harrelson, as Holt identified him as being one of the tramps. She compared known photos of Harrelson with the Dealey Plaza tall tramp, and she concluded that it is indeed Charles Harrelson in the tramp photo. She came to this conclusion because of exact profile, wrinkles, mouth distance from the chin, mouth distance from the chin bone, nose, and ears. In addition she has concluded that Harrelson's shaving habits are the same in both photos, and his side burns are only.one millimeter different from a mug shot of ten years ago. Finally, she states that a photo of an opposite face profile examined by her shows a mirror image of Charles Harrelson. Wryly, she told the hushed audience that he is smiling in the tramp photo.

The third tramp identified by Holt is Charles Frederick Rogers, also known as 'Montoya" and "Rojas." At this point, the audience was told that RogerS fled his parents' home as police arrived, and left his pistol in his room. There is reason to believe that it was a CIA issued pistol. Forensic artist Gibson then continued with her analysis of the third tramp. It was very difficult finding photos of Rogers, as he was very careful not to have many left around. However, Houston Police were able to go back to his high school year book of 1939-'40 and his college picture taken at Sam Houston State,, iand use these to compare with the tramp photos. Gibson concluded the following, after analyzing the photos: the subject's nose, ears shape, and mouth are identical. Conclusive for Gibson, however, are: exact hair wave, nose shape is exact, eye sockets are exact, and shadows formed by the inside of his ears are exact. Finally, she detects an unusual gape in the walk of the tramp Holt says is Rogers.

Her conclusion is that the third tramp in the photo is indeed Charles Frederick Rogers.

An anecdote told to the audience revealed the fact that Rogers' father worked as a bookie for none other than Carlos Marcello, in the Houston area.

Another twist to this segment of the story is told to us by John Craig. It is known that David Ferrie drove a few hundred miles through a storm to go "skating" at Winterland Park. The manager of the rink told Houston Police that Charles Frederick Rogers used that rink for phone calls and meetings all the time. We now have Ferrie and Rogers linked to at least two activities; "skating" and the Civil Air Patrol.

The panel, at this point, relayed Holt's account of his and the other tramps' activities in Dealey Plaza on Novembember 22, 1963. First of all, he admitted that it was he who prepared the phony Secret Service credentials for the bogus men around the grassy knoll, while he was in Los Angelos. ;While in Dealey Plaza, one of the tramps came up to him and said,"Hi I'm Chuck Harrelson," prior to the assassination. Holt said that he was driving around the parking lot in back of the knoll in a station wagon from Arizona, with two other men known as Nicoletti and Nocera (sic?). Holt testified that he did not see the actual assassination, but heard the shots from the rear of the TSBD. His instructions were to meet the other tramps in the railroad yard and hide in the ninth box car from the engine. This they did, but were soon caught by police and were questioned outside of the box car. Holt, who had a nose bleed and stuffed kleenex up his nostrils to stop the bleeding, testified that he and the other two tramps presented phony Tax and Treasury Department credentials, which Holt said he made up with the bogus Secret Service credentials, to the police officers. Holt added that he told the police they were working under cover. The Dallas police officers, relaxing at this point, told the tramps that they had to bring them in anyway for questioning. This could explain why the police officers didn't cuff them, and permitted them to walk in a casual manner to the police building.

Once inside, the police officers, according to Holt, called in Will Fritz and FBI agent Shanklin. Again, Holt and the two other tramps showed their phony credentials, and , according to Holt, Shanklin let them go without any further procedures.' Finally, Holt said that he was driven to Red Bird Air Port by Jim Braden, and his final destination found him in South America.

At this point, there was a question and answer period. I went to the microphone, and asked the panel three questions: 1) How did Holt know the Secret Service's color of the day for credentials? Answer: He couldn't find out until the very last minute. 2) How did Holt get into the rear parking area, if it was secured for two hours before the assassination? Answer: Holt told them that he was given a key to get in the parking area. 3) Did Holt tell them what them what they were to do if they weren't caught in the box car by police? Answer: Still go to the Red Bird Air Port.

Chauncey Holt reiterates his statement that he was behind the TSBD when shots were fired at the presidential limousine. He also submitted in his testimony that he truly believes that he was put out back in the rail road yard to be used as a potential patsy, if it didn't work out with Oswald for one reason or another.

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Holt claims he operated out of the parking lot area of the train-yard behind the grassy knoll with others.

Chauncey Holt was born in Kentucky on 23rd October, 1921. When he was 19 he joined the United States Army Airforce (USAAF). The following year he was court-martialed and sent to the U.S. penitentiary barracks at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for attacking another soldier with a Springfield rifle.

Holt was released in June 1940 but deserted from the USAF after the attack on Pearl Harbor. He eventually returned to duty but in 1942 he travelled in a car from Fort Knox to Louisville. He was arrested and charged with taking the car without permission and was sentenced to 18 months in the Industrial Reformatory at Chillicott, Ohio. On his release he found work with the Bethelem-Fairfield Shipyard Company.

After the war Holt met Peter Licavoli, a leading figure in the Mafia in Detroit. Holt was sent to Florida where he worked for Meyer Lansky as an accountant and pilot. This included several trips to Cuba where Lansky had extensive business interests. Lansky also sent Holt to worked for the International Rescue Committee (IRC). This was a Central Intelligence Agency controlled organization that had been set up to distribute funds to organizations attempting to overthrow left-wing governments. During the time Holt was also involved in producing forged documents for the CIA and the Mafia.

Holt also became involved in what later become known as Executive Action (a plan to remove unfriendly foreign leaders from power). This including a coup d'état that overthrew the Guatemalan government of Jacobo Arbenz in 1954 after he introduced land reforms and nationalized the United Fruit Company. However, the main target of this operation was Fidel Castro who had established a socialist government in Cuba.

In March I960, President Dwight Eisenhower of the United States approved a CIA plan to overthrow Castro. The plan involved a budget of $13 million to train "a paramilitary force outside Cuba for guerrilla action." The strategy was organized by Richard Bissell and Richard Helms. An estimated 400 CIA officers were employed full-time to carry out what became known as Operation Mongoose. Holt later claimed that he worked on this project with figures such as Sam Giancana, Johnny Roselli, Edward Lansdale and William Harvey.

After the failed Bay of Pigs invasion Holt worked for Meyer Lansky in California. Meyer took over the Los Angeles Stamp and Stationary Company where Holt continued to produce illegal documents and false police badges. He also worked closely with Phillip A. Twombly, a former Executive Vice President of Coca Cola for their Caribbean operations. Twombly now owned a bank in Fullerton, California, which was used to distribute CIA funds for covert operations.

Lee Harvey Oswald handing out pamphlets in New Orleans. Holt is the man on the far right. Holt has written in the names of some of the people involved in this operation.

Lee Harvey Oswald handing out pamphlets in New Orleans. Holt is the man on the far right. Holt has written in the names of some of the people involved in this operation. In 1963 Holt claims he received instructions from Phillip A. Twombly to provide false ID documents for Lee Harvey Oswald. These documents (in the names of Lee Harvey Oswald and Alek Hiddell) were delivered by a man called George Reynolds. In August, 1963, Twombly asked Holt to travel to New Orleans, where he met Oswald and Carlos Bringuier.

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Holt later claimed he was went to Dallas in November, 1963, with Charlie Nicoletti, James Canty and Leo Moceri. In Dallas he passed on forged documents and guns (with silencers) to Charles Harrelson and Charles Rogers (Richard Montoya). Holt was told that "an incident was going to be created which could be laid at the door of pro-Castro Cubans. The word attempted assassination was never used. We assumed that from all this light loaded ammunition that maybe somebody was going to try to take a shot from somewhere, probably the Dal-Tex building, or one of the buildings around there. But at no time was it ever intimidated to us that an assassination or attempted assassination on Kennedy."

When the Kennedy motorcade reached the Dealey Plaza Holt was in the parking lot behind the Grassy Knoll. After the shooting took place Holt went to hide in a railroad car. He was joined by Charles Harrelson and Charles Rogers. However, soon afterwards, Dallas police officers entered the railroad car and arrested all three men. The three men along with Jim Brading were interviewed by Gordon Shanklin of the FBI and then released.

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Eugene Hale Brading (also known as James Lee and Jim Braden) developed a long criminal record while living in California. Arrested 35 times he had convictions for burglary, illegal bookmaking and embezzlement.

On 21st November, 1963, Brading arrived in Dallas with a man named Morgan Brown. They stayed in Suite 301 of the Cabana Motel. Later that day Brading visited the offices of Texas oil billionaire Haroldson L. Hunt. It is believed that Jack Ruby was in the offices at the same time as Brading.

After the assassination of John F. Kennedy, Brading was arrested and taken in for interrogation because he had been "acting suspiciously" in the Dal-Tex Building, overlooking Dealey Plaza. Brading told the police he was in Dallas on oil business and had gone into the building to make a phone call. Brading was released without charge.

Brading returned to his room at the Cabana Motel. It was later established that Jack Ruby visited the motel around midnight.

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In his book, The Kennedy Conspiracy, Anthony Summers shows that Brading had links with Carlos Marcello, Santos Trafficante and David Ferrie.

In 1968 Brading was interviewed by the Los Angeles Police Department because of his presence in Los Angeles on the night that Robert Kennedy was murdered.

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Interestingly, there were several arrests made in the Dal Tex building. A young man wearing a black leather jacket and black gloves was taken to the Sheriff's Office who, according to the police, '. . . had been up in the building across the street from the Book Depository without a good excuse'. No record appears to exist of the man or of any interrogation, however, and he seems to have somehow slipped away from the Sheriff's Office and disappeared, without even anything to indicate he was thereafter sought. Larry Florer was also arrested and detained for some hours. He said he had asked where he could find a telephone and had been directed to the Dal Tex building. All lines being busy, Florer said he could not make his call and he was arrested as he left the building. A third man arrested there was extremely interesting. He was Jim Braden, also known as Eugene Hale Brading, a known Mafia courier. He said he had had an appointment to meet Lamar Hunt, son of H.L. Hunt, the oil millionaire, on oil business. Braden was with a friend, Morgan H. Brown, who bolted when he heard he had been taken in for questioning. A man with 30 arrests to his record, Braden had been staying at the Kabanya Motor Hotel, where Jack Ruby - who was to kill Lee Harvey Oswald in the Police Headquarters basement two days after the assassination - had met some of his Chicago friends the night before the President was killed. Braden was not detained. Five years later, however, Braden was to turn up in Los Angeles when Senator Robert Kennedy was murdered.

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Eugene Hale Brading: Radio Coordinator of the JFK assassination

Above, Eugene Hale Brading montage. Below left, Map of Dealey Plaza with a view of the Dal-Tex Building, below right, views of and from the Dal-Tex Bldg. from an article published in the Saturday Evening Post.

'Braden, along with ex-convict Morgan Brown, was staying at the Cabana Motel, the same motel visited by (Jack)Ruby the night of November 21.' – Jim Marrs, Crossfire, 1993.

'While visiting the alleged assassin's grave on the third anniversary of his death he(author William Morris) encountered an agent who'd worked with Oswald in the CIA…Agent X told him that (Loran)Hall was in Dallas on November 22, 1963 as part of the assassination squad which was directed by Eugene Hale Brading.' – Alan J. Weberman & Michael Canfield, Coup d'Etat in America, 1975.

'While we were in the criminal courts building we saw Eugene Brading, aka Jim Braden…Braden would later leave Dallas by way of Love Field Airport.' – Chauncey Holt & Wim Daakbaar, Self-Portrait of a Scoundrel, 2013.

'Carlos Marcello would utilize Guy Bannister and David Ferrie for (Castro opponent Mario)Kohly's exile groups at Lake Ponchatrain, Louisiana. Eladio del Valle was the coordinator and liaison between the two groups.' - Robert D. Morrow, First Hand Knowledge, 1992.

'I received a second phone call. It was del Valle…he asked me to supply him with four transceivers which were not detectable by any communications equipment then available on the market.' – Robert D. Morrow, First Hand Knowledge, 1992.

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'They had better be perfect, compadre. They are for Texas…Kennedy's going to get it in Dallas.' – Robert D. Morrow, First Hand Knowledge, 1992.

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The Dal-Tex Building was located across the street from the Texas School Book Depository. It offered a great view of JFK's motorcade from behind, which was not obstructed by trees like portions of the view from the alleged 'sniper's nest' on the 6th Floor of the Book Depository.

In the moments after the JFK assassination a man named Eugene Hale Brading(aka Jim Braden) was arrested for questioning after he was discovered on the 3rd floor of the Dal-Tex Building. He was a complete stranger to the area and said he was in the building looking for a phone to use. Brading was known as a Mafia courier for the likes of gangsters such as Santo Trafficante, Carlos Marcello and Meyer Lansky. Braden was not known as an expert marksman or assassin like some of the other JFK assassination suspects. He may have served as a radio coordinator for the JFK shooters, whose role would be to give the word for the assassins to fire in simultaneous volleys to conceal the true number of shooters and gunshots that day. Braden was also in the vicinity of the RFK assassination later on as well in California in 1968.

An electronics expert named Robert D. Morrow wrote a book called First Hand Knowledge in which he claimed that a Cuban exile named Eladio del Valle asked him to make several sets of low band radios and earpieces which would only have to work for a few minutes which no 3rd parties could intercept or monitor. He assumed they might be used for anti-Castro plots only to learn later on that they may have been used instead to coordinate the JFK assassination. Braden presumably could have used said transceivers to communicate with the several teams of shooters to coordinate and minimize their shooting to fit with the pre-planned 'Oswald did it' scenario.

Presumably the plot called for killing JFK with as few shots fired as possible to make the planned 'lone nut' scenario at least somewhat plausible. If the shooters in the Dal Tex Building, TSBD or the County Records Building in Dealey Plaza had done their jobs more efficiently, and actually killed JFK with their shots from behind, no extra shots would have been needed from the Grassy Knoll or anywhere else! As it were, one shot from the Dal Tex Building hit JFK from the back, while another missed altogether and hit a curb which in turn splintered and hit a witness named James Tague. JFK was hit numerous times in the throat and torso and was in bad shape but was still clinging to life before he was finally finished off by the fatal headshot from the right front.

Retired US Steel engineer turned JFK assassination investigator, Tom Wilson, noticed the figure of a gunman with a goatee in the Dal-Tex Building using photonic imaging techniques. Facial hair was out of vogue in 1963 in the USA because of anti-Castro sentiment. One such JFK conspiracy suspect who wore a goatee, nevertheless, was a CIA affiliated mercenary named Loran Hall.

Loran Eugene Hall was born in Newton, Kansas, on 4th January 1930. He joined the U.S. Army and later became a mercenary who joined the rebels led by Fidel Castro. Hall fell out with Castro and in 1959 he spent several months in prison. In the prison at the same time was Santo Trafficante. https://spartacus-educational.com/JFKhallL.htm

A brief clip featuring Eugene Hale Brading and the Dal-Tex Building below:

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